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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER RULE 1.53(d)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) is a request for filing a continued prosecution application of prior pending Application No. 09/811,456, filed March 20, 2001.

For (Title): INPUT BUFFER CIRCUIT FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
By (Inventors): Masahito ISODA

1. Abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application.
2. The filing fee is calculated below.

CLAIMS REMAINING IN THE APPLICATION AFTER
ENTRY OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT OR
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 NOTED BELOW

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	29 - 20	= 9
INDEP CLAIMS	11 - 3	= 8
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED		

* If the difference is less than zero, enter "0".

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEES	RATE	FEES
\$ 370		\$ 740	
x 9 =	\$	x 18	\$ 162
x 42 =	\$	x 84	\$ 672
+140 =	\$	+280	\$
TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$ 1574

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01 FC:131	740.00 0P
02 FC:103	162.00 0P
03 FC:102	672.00 0P

3. A check in the amount of \$1574 to cover the filing fee is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.
4. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Claims added by this Amendment are properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim in the prior application.
5. Other: Petition for Extension of Time
6. Address all future communications to:

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Respectfully submitted,



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